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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND ELECTION OF SPECIES**  
**REQUIREMENTS**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 6, 2005, setting a shortened statutory period of one (1) month to January 6, 2006, Applicant submits the following response and a Petition for a One Month Extension to extend the filing date to February 6, 2006.

**REMARKS**

In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement, and to facilitate prosecution, Applicant hereby elects Invention I drawn to a method of making an article

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